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Application of: GATELY & PRESKY

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In response to the final Office Action dated March 11, 2002, and in accordance with Rule 116 of the Rules of Practice, Applicants submit herewith: 1) a Petition for Extension of Time up to and including September 11, 2002, accompanied by fee authorization; and 2) a Notice of Appeal, accompanied by fee authorization.

Applicants estimate that no additional fees beyond those authorized in the accompanying papers are required. In the event additional fees are required, please charge the required fees to Pennie & Edmonds LLP Deposit Account No. 16-1150 (order no. 1803-270-999).

Respectfully submitted,

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